

**Table D-10. Occupation of employed science and engineering master's degree recipients in 1997 and 1998, by age: April 1999**

Occupation	Total employed	Age in years			
		Less than 25	25–29	30–34	35 or more
All occupations.....	139,200	6,200	65,600	32,600	34,700
Total scientists <sup>1</sup> .....	60,500	2,700	30,200	13,400	14,200
Computer and information scientists.....	26,200	1,200	12,300	6,300	6,300
Life and related scientists.....	6,400	S	3,700	1,600	S
Mathematical and related scientists.....	4,200	S	2,000	S	1,200
Physical scientists.....	6,300	S	3,400	1,300	1,400
Psychologists.....	10,200	S	4,700	1,700	3,500
Social and related scientists.....	7,300	S	4,100	1,700	S
Total engineers <sup>1</sup> .....	28,900	1,700	14,600	7,000	5,500
Total other occupations.....	49,800	1,700	20,900	12,200	15,000
Managers and related occupations.....	11,000	S	4,600	3,000	2,900
Health and related occupations <sup>2</sup> .....	2,000	S	S	S	S
Educators other than S&E postsecondary.....	7,400	S	2,500	2,300	2,500
Social services and related occupations.....	8,500	S	2,900	1,500	4,000
Technicians including computer programmers.....	7,200	S	3,400	1,900	1,600
Sales and marketing occupations.....	3,300	S	2,100	S	S
Other occupations.....	10,500	S	5,000	2,600	2,200

<sup>1</sup> Science and engineering occupations include postsecondary educators. For more details see technical notes.

<sup>2</sup> Health-related majors are not included in sample.

**KEY:** S = Data with weighted values less than 100 or unweighted sample sizes less than 20 are suppressed for reasons of data reliability.

**NOTES:** Details may not add to totals because of rounding.  
These estimates of 1997 and 1998 college graduates are obtained from a sample survey of individuals receiving bachelor's or master's degrees in science or engineering fields.

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, National Survey of Recent College Graduates, 1999